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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: A. TANAKA et al.
Serial No.: 08/895,886
Filed: July 17, 1997
For: DATA RECONSTRUCTION METHOD AND SYSTEM
WHEREIN TIMING OF DATA RECONSTRUCTION IS
CONTROLLED IN ACCORDANCE WITH CONDITIONS
WHEN A FAILURE OCCURS (As Amended)
Group: 2785
Examiner: H. Nguyen

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents July 20, 1998
Washington, D.C. 20231
Sir:

The non-final Office Action of April 20, 1998, in connection with the above-identified application is acknowledged. A response to the Office Action of April 20 is being submitted herewith.

Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.97(c) and 1.98, attached hereto are copies of U.S. Patent Nos. 5,208,813 and 5,390,187 and a form PTO-1449 listing these two references.

Also listed on the form PTO-1449 is U.S. patent application Serial No. 08/895,986 filed on July 17, 1997, which, like the present application, is a continuation of application Serial No. 08/534,841 filed on September 27, 1995. Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.98(a)(2)(iii), a copy of application Serial No. 08/895,986 is not being provided with this

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The Examiner's attention is particularly directed to column 4, line 58, through column 5, line 1, and column 5, lines 49-58, of U.S. Patent No. 5,208,813, and to column 4, line 62, through column 5, line 6, and column 5, lines 52-62, of U.S. Patent No. 5,390,187. However, it respectfully requested that the Examiner consider U.S. Patent Nos. 5,208,813 and 5,390,187 in their entirety.

It is respectfully requested that this Information Disclosure Statement be considered.

Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.97(c), this Information Disclosure Statement is being submitted before the mailing date of either a final Office Action or a Notice of Allowance.

The fee of \$240.00 set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(p) for submission of this Information Disclosure Statement as required by 37 CFR 1.97(c) is included in the check attached to the request for reconsideration being submitted herewith.

Please charge any shortage in fees due in connection with the filing of this paper, or credit any overpayment of fees, to the deposit account of Antonelli, Terry, Stout & Kraus, LLP, Deposit Account No. 01-2135 (500.31108CC2).

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